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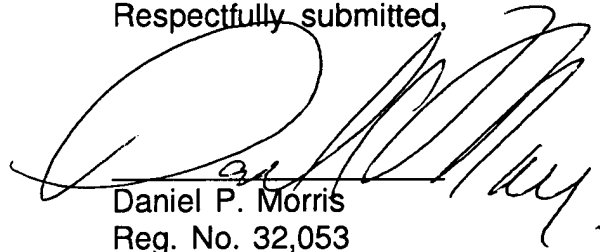
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**LETTER**

Sir:

As per our telephone conversation, attached is the Substitute Amendment for the above-reference patent application. The Substitute Amendment corrects typographical errors and removes redundant and unnecessary language. Also enclosed is the stamped post card indicating the original Amendment was mailed on February 10, 1997 and a copy of the original Amendment dated February 10, 1997.

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